

I am closely following the ongoing oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico and working with local, state and federal officials to ensure that every resource is made available to address this serious situation. As my office gathers additional information about oil spill monitoring and recovery, I will make it available here on my web site.

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Oil Spill Claims Applications Information :

[British Petroleum](#) (BP) is responsible for processing and paying damage claims.

[BP's CLAIMS INFORMATION WEB SITE](#) has an [ON-LINE CLAIMS FORM](#) and lists local office locations.

BP can be reached at **1-800-440-0858** (24 hours a day, 7 days a week)

BP personnel at the call center will provide each caller with information on how to submit a claim. Each claim will be assigned to an adjuster and the claim will be promptly investigated and evaluated.

For those who have already pursued claims with BP and are not satisfied with BP's resolution, you can contact the **U.S. Coast Guard at 1-800-280-7118**.

[The National Pollution Funds Center](#) (NPFC) provides information on the types of claims that can be filed and how to document claims for damages.

The NPFC does not handle initial claims, but rather provides the guidelines for filing.

To report spill damage, oiled wildlife, broken boom, or volunteer:

- To report oiled wildlife, please call **1-866-557-1401** and leave a message
- To discuss spill related damage, please call **1-800-440-0858**
- To report oiled shoreline, please call **1-866-448-5816**
- To report broken or loose boom, please call **1-866-448-5816**

- To request volunteer information, please call **1-866-448-5816**

BP Vessel of Opportunity program:

BP has established a vessel of opportunity program for vessel owners to offer their services to assist with response efforts. Contact Vince Mitchell at **1-425-745-8017**. Vessel owners will need to provide details about their vessel: name, owner, horsepower, length, draft, etc.

To Offer Services:

To volunteer to help reduce the oil spill impact on Mobile Bay, call **Alabama 211** at **1-866-421-1266**

To submit alternative response technology, services or products, call **1-281-366-5511**

Alabama Oil Spill Clean-Up Job Information [click here](#) .

[SBA Low Interest Disaster Loans](#) for Oil Spill Impacted Seafood Businesses:

To reach **SBA Customer Service Center**: 1-800-659-2955, or email: disastercustomerservice@sba.gov

SBA disaster assistance website: www.sba.gov/services/disasterassistance

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Official information about the oil spill and government response:

[Latest Oil Spill Trajectory Map](#) (link to PDFs)

[National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration \(NOAA\)](#) (Deepwater Horizon Incident site)

[NOAA Response and Restoration site](#)

[Environmental Protection Agency \(EPA\) oil spill site](#)

[U.S. Coast Guard, NOAA, U.S. Dept of Interior, BP and Transocean](#) (Joint Deepwater Horizon site)

[U.S. Coast Guard Mobile Digital Contingency Plan](#)

[Facts on oil spill](#)

[NASA satellite image of spill](#) (April 25)

[NASA site monitoring spill](#) (Updated)

[Gulf currents](#) (Gulf of Mexico Coastal Ocean Observing System)

[State of Alabama oil spill site](#)

[Alabama Department of Environmental Management](#)

[Baldwin County Emergency Management Agency](#)

[Mobile County Emergency Management Agency](#)

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